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RUSSIANS INFLECT ENORMOUS LOSSES

Teutonic Allies Still on Offensive Along the 800-Mile Front.

TWO PRINCES NEAR CAPTURE

Grand Duke Nicholas Reports the Enemy Repulsed Along Whole Front With Great Losses—Battle on Banks of San Continues.

Petrograd, May 29.—Russian troops have recaptured Urupiah, the important city of Persian Armenia which was occupied by the Turks several months ago.

By FRANCIS LAVELLE MURRAY, International News Service Correspondent. Petrograd, May 29.—Through forced to remain on the defensive in Galicia, the Russians are inflicting tremendous losses on the Austro-German armies, according to the latest official reports received by the war office. An official statement shows that the Teutonic allies are still on the offensive along the 800-mile front from the Baltic to Bukovina.

On the Bobr river front the Germans are using asphyxiating bombs to help their operations. On the San front and between the Dniester marshes in Galicia the titanic struggle between the Russians and Teutons continues.

Pay Heavily for Successes. The Austro-Germans have paid heavily for their successes in Galicia. According to estimates made here the Germans alone lost 106,000 men in western Galicia. The Austrian losses are believed to have been much heavier.

A dispatch to the Bourse Gazette from Kovno states that Prince Joachim, son of the kaiser, and Prince Leopold of Lippe escaped capture by a narrow margin when Russian infantry stormed at night a village held by the Germans in the Shavli region. The two princes fled in their automobile, but three members of their staff were captured.

The latest reports from Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander in chief, follows:

"Our troops engaged the enemy successfully in the region of Shavli. We made progress southwest of the Murawjow-Shavli line, as well as on the lower Dubissa, repulsing the enemy's offensive near Rossieny.

"In Poland, on the Bobr front, during the night of May 25-26 the enemy bombarded with his heavy artillery the region of the fortress of Gossowice. East of Jedwabo he attempted a fruitless offensive under cover of asphyxiating gas.

"In several sectors on the river Narow front there was heavy artillery and rifle firing.

"On the left bank of the Vistula, on the Bzura front, our light infantry charged the enemy. They bayoneted about sixty men in a successful skirmish with German pickets. The survivors were taken prisoners.

"In the direction of Opatow (southwest of Ivangorod) the enemy has begun attacks with great forces.

Enemy Repulsed Everywhere. "In Galicia, on May 23 and the night of May 25-26 the enemy delivered attacks along our whole front between the upper Vistula and the left bank of the San. He was repulsed everywhere with great losses.

"The very stubborn battle on the banks of the San between Przemyśl and Lubaczowka river, as well as between Przemyśl and the great marshes of the Dniester continues with great intensity.

"In the region beyond the Dniester the enemy on May 25 opened a determined offensive along the whole front from the great marshes of the Dniester to Dolina. In the course of this conflict on the following day the enemy suffered numerous losses. No where was he successful.

"Hostile elements which pierced the line between our points of support near Strj were destroyed by our artillery fire.

SAYS FRENCH MAKE GAINS

Paris Official Communiqué Asserts Allies Advance at Both Ends of Battle Line.

Paris, May 29.—Gains for the French at both ends of the battle line are enumerated in an official communiqué issued by the French war office.

Fortified houses, trenches and other defensive works of the Germans at Abailin St. Nazaire were captured by the French in a series of violent assaults against the German lines south of the Lorette hills. Four hundred German soldiers and 12 machine guns were taken by the French on Thursday and further captures were made today.

The French have renewed their attacks in the forest of LePrete, between the Meuse and Moselle rivers, here they took 60 prisoners.

Turks Extend Hostilities. Constantinople, May 29.—The Turkish government has notified neutral governments that it finds it is compelled to extend hostilities to the Suez canal.

No Moratorium in Italy. May 29.—The business in Italy is affected, so slightly will be necessary.

DR. FRANK J. GOODNOW



New portrait of Dr. Frank Johnson Goodnow who has just been installed as president of Johns Hopkins university at Baltimore. He is fifty-six years old and a native of Brooklyn.

GERMAN REPLY READY

Kaiser's Answer to U. S. Note Practically Complete.

Will Not Be Final, but Opens Way to Further Exchange of Messages.

The Hague, May 29.—The German legation understands that Germany's reply to the American note on submarine warfare will be presented Saturday.

By FREDERICK WERNER, International News Service Correspondent. Berlin, via Amsterdam, May 29.—That the German reply to the American note sent to Berlin after the Lusitania was sunk will not be final, but will open the way to a further exchange of diplomatic messages was indicated here by a high German official. Daily conferences on the nature of the reply are now being held by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and Foreign Secretary von Jagow. It is practically complete.

As far as the Lusitania incident is concerned, Germany's reply, it is said, will be that the destruction of that liner was justified because she was in reality an auxiliary cruiser. German officials claim this is proved by the November navy list issued by the British admiralty.

On page 422 of that book, they assert, the Mauretania and Lusitania are listed as "Royal Naval Reserve Merchant Vessels," with this note:

"The vessels named below are held by the Cunard company at the disposal of the lords commissioners of the admiralty and receive an annual subsidy."

They further assert that Captain Turner is named in the same navy list as an honorary commander of the royal navy reserve.

These facts, they contend, show that the Lusitania was a warship and that she was commanded by an officer of the British navy.

U. S. CRUISER RUNS AGROUND

The North Carolina Strikes Bottom Inside the Outer Harbor of Alexandria, Egypt—Uninjured.

Washington, May 29.—Captain Omsen, commanding the United States cruiser North Carolina, reported to the navy department that his vessel is aground, but uninjured, inside the outer harbor of Alexandria, Egypt.

"Ship aground inside of outer harbor," the message read. "Unable to move ship today (Thursday). Dredge working tonight. Ship not damaged. Cruiser Des Moines has arrived."

The North Carolina is under orders to come home and serve as an auxiliary to the navy hydroplanes at Pensacola. The Des Moines was sent to the Mediterranean to relieve the North Carolina.

ONE TORPEDO HIT MAJESTIC

British Battleship Sank Rapidly After Being Struck—Loss of Life Believed to Be Heavy.

Constantinople, May 29.—The British battleship Majestic, which was torpedoed by a German submarine off Gallipoli peninsula, sank in 18 minutes, according to a statement issued by the war office.

Only one torpedo was fired by the submarine. This struck the Majestic in the stern, tearing a great hole in her hull. The battleship sank rapidly and the loss of life is believed to have been heavy.

The submarine, the same boat that sank the British battleship Triumph, has again returned to its base.

Mexicans Starving. Washington, May 29.—On behalf of the American Red Cross, President Wilson issued an appeal to the American people to aid in relieving starving Mexicans.

ITALIANS OCCUPY PORT OF GRADO

Rome Officially Reports City Only 25 Miles From Trieste Captured.

VIOLENT ARTILLERY DUELS

Inhabitants of Captured Austrian Territory Receive the Invading Italians With Cordial Expressions of Fraternity.

Geneva, May 29.—The Italians are continuing their advance into Carinthia. They have taken three of the lower mountain passes and fourteen villages.

By BRIXTON D. ALLAIRE, International News Service Correspondent. Rome, May 29.—The Italian army which is driving toward Trieste has occupied the Austrian port city of Grado, on the Gulf of Trieste, only 25 miles from Trieste. It is officially given out by the Italian war office.

A squadron of Italian aeroplanes, that crossed the northern end of the Adriatic sea, successfully bombarded the Trieste-Nabresina railway on the night of May 26-27, destroying part of the line and seriously crippling troop and supply movements of the Austrians.

Violent artillery duels are in progress among the Alpine mountains between the Tyrol and Trentino boundaries.

Take Many Prisoners. The Italian army of occupation between the Idria and Isosno rivers is increasing the extent of captured Austrian territory. Many prisoners have been taken, and at some points the inhabitants received the invading Italians with cordial expressions of fraternity.

The official communiqué, which was based upon dispatches from Lieut. Gen. Luigi Cadorna, chief of the general staff, follows:

"An artillery duel is progressing between our fortifications and those of the Austrians along the border of Tyrol and Trentino, particularly upon the Asiago plateau and at Tonale."

"We have extended further northwards our occupation of Austrian territory above the junction of the Chiave river with Idro lake and have occupied the mountain zone between the lakes of Idro and Garda."

Citizens Welcome Invaders. "Prominent citizens of Tezze, Slasagans and other communities of the invaded region have presented themselves to the commanders of our armies of invasion, pressing their devotion to the Italian cause."

"Alpine troops engaged upon the frontier of Caria are continuing to progress, making many prisoners."

"On the Friuli frontier we have occupied Grado, where the population received the Italian troops enthusiastically."

"On the night of May 26-27 a flotilla of hydroaeroplanes bombarded the Trieste-Nabresina railway, destroying some of the line. The whole flotilla returned safely to its base."

ITALIAN TROOPS IN AUSTRIA

War Office at Vienna States All Enemy Forces That Invaded Coastal Territory Defeated.

Vienna, May 29.—The Austrian war office admitted that Italian troops had crossed the frontier, but stated that all the enemy forces that invaded the coastal territory had been driven back.

The Italians are bombarding Austrian positions in the Tyrol and south-east of Trent with their heavy artillery. No general engagement has yet occurred.

Baron von Macchio, former Austrian ambassador to Italy, has arrived here with his staff. The party's journey was uneventful, except for hostile demonstrations at a few stations, where the envoy was jeered.

AWAIT REPLY FROM GERMANY

Count von Bernstorff Notifies Foreign Office "Press Is Getting Impatient About Delay."

London, May 29.—A wireless dispatch from Berlin issued here says that Count von Bernstorff has sent a dispatch to the German foreign office stating that "the press is now getting impatient about the delay in answering the American note," and that the tension is increased by the "sinking" of the Nebraska.

It is judged from this that the ambassador is trying to have his government act quickly.

CLAIMS WARSHIP NOT SUNK

Russian Admiralty Denies Loss of Battleship Pantelimon in Black Sea—Vessel Was in Port.

Paris, May 29.—The ministry of marine issued the following statement in the afternoon:

"The Russian admiralty categorically denies the Turkish announcement that the warship Pantelimon was sunk in the Black sea by a submarine. On the day that event is supposed to have taken place the Pantelimon was in a Russian port. Not a single Russian warship in the Black sea has been sunk or damaged."

DUVAL WEST



Duval West of San Antonio, Tex., President Wilson's latest special envoy and personal representative in Mexico, has been in Washington conferring with the president and the officials of the state department.

FRENCH SHIP AGROUND

Liner La Champagne Ran on Rocks Off St. Nazaire.

Had 900 Negro Troops on Board for Service in France—Steamer Badly Damaged.

Paris, May 29.—The French steamer La Champagne ran aground on the French coast off St. Nazaire. All her 900 passengers were later landed at St. Nazaire.

La Champagne formerly plied between New York and France, but several months ago she was taken over by the French government and put into the South American service. She sailed from Colon for St. Nazaire on May 4, but stopped at a number of ports in the West Indies.

There had been rumors that an attempt would be made to blow up the liner at sea, and when the first rumor, that she had been sunk, reached here it caused great excitement.

It was learned that the 900 passengers on La Champagne were negro troops who had been brought from French Guiana for service in France.

Reports received here indicated that the liner was in a badly damaged condition and that she might not be able to get off the ground where she ran ashore.

ALLIES TAKE TURK TRENCHES

Fierce Fighting in Progress on Gallipoli Peninsula—Ottoman Troops Obstinately Resist Advance.

Athens, May 29.—The fiercest fighting of the allies' land campaign against the Turks at the Dardanelles is now in progress on Gallipoli peninsula, according to a dispatch from Tenedos.

The British and French troops, heavily re-enforced, are advancing from Kutubia, Gaba Tepeh and Bulair, capturing successive lines of the Turkish trenches. The Turks are obstinately resisting the advance.

British and French warships are bombarding the Turkish positions from the Gulf of Saros and from the entrance to the Dardanelles.

GEORGE POPE IS PRESIDENT

National Association of Manufacturers Elect Officers at Meeting Held in New York.

New York, May 29.—George Pope, head of the Pope Manufacturing company of Hartford, Conn., has been elected president of the National Association of Manufacturers. George S. Boudinot was chosen secretary, and J. P. Bird, treasurer. Among the members of the board of directors are: J. G. Battelle of Columbus, O.; Oscar Elsass of Atlanta; Isaac W. Frank of Pittsburgh; John Kirby, Jr., of Dayton; F. C. Schwabman of Springfield, Ill., and John Trux of Detroit.

WIDOW SUES FOR \$3,000,000

Mrs. W. P. Bettendorf, Widow of Hydraulic Machinery Man, Charges Brother-in-Law With Fraud.

Davenport, Ia., May 29.—Elizabeth H. Bettendorf, widow of W. P. Bettendorf, inventor of hydraulic machinery and founder of the Bettendorf company, has entered suit for \$3,000,000 against her brother-in-law, J. W. Bettendorf, and the Bettendorf company as a corporation. Misrepresentation and fraud in the sale of W. P. Bettendorf's stock after his death to J. W. Bettendorf and others is charged.

Big Freighter Torpedoed.

Liverpool, May 29.—The British liner Argyllshire, a vessel of 10,392 tons and one of the largest freighters afloat, was torpedoed and seriously damaged by a German submarine off the Scilly Islands. The vessel succeeded in reaching port.

WELL PLEASED WITH DIXIE ROUTE

FRANKFORT GRATIFIED OVER THEIR SUCCESS AT CHATTANOOGA MEETING.

CITY WILL BENEFIT GREATLY

Mountain Counties Are Spending Hundreds of Thousands of Dollars on Good Roads.

(Special Frankfort Correspondence.) Frankfort.—The Frankfort delegates to the Dixie Highway association meeting returned well satisfied with the outcome, although they did not get what they primarily sought—the route through Frankfort from Louisville to Lexington. This was manifestly impossible when Louisville stood out on the Nashville route, and they threw their strength with Cincinnati and gratified by the decision of the directors to have two entrances into Kentucky, one at Louisville and the other at Covington.

Unquestionably, in their opinion, the Blue Grass and mountain route, from Lexington to Cumberland Gap and Knoxville to Chattanooga will be more attractive to tourists by reason of its scenic variety and historic renown. Those who go that way will find themselves close to the Kentucky capital, with a good pike all the way and a short cut to the Boone Way, over the Lawrenceburg pike. Thence to the mountains will be a good road, and the mountain counties are spending hundreds of thousands in road building.

From Louisville an excellent pike already exists leading through Frankfort to the Blue Grass mountain route at Lexington. Frankfort's delegates believe the majority will prefer to come this way from Louisville instead of striking straight south through a country of little interest.

Ordered Bond Paid. The appellate court affirmed the Jefferson circuit court in the case of the National Surety Co. against the City of Louisville, the whole court sitting. The surety company went the bond of Samuel M. Whitte, controller of the city, for \$20,000. Whitte defaulted and is now serving a sentence. The company declined to pay the bond on the grounds that the statute did not give Whitte authority to take possession of the securities of the city which he held. The court held otherwise and ordered the bond paid.

Speers' Hospital Exempt. Affirming the Campbell circuit court in the case of the City of Dayton against the Trustees of Speers' Hospital, the appellate court decided that the hospital is conducted purely for public charity and is exempt from taxation. Suit was brought by the city against the trustees to sell the property to collect unpaid taxes amounting to \$1,100.50, alleged to be due for 1910 and 1911. J. O. Jenkins, John L. Pythian and W. E. Senour are the trustees.

Newman Calls Meeting. Commissioner of Agriculture Newman has called a meeting of the State Board of Agriculture to meet in Louisville. The Live Stock Sanitary Board will meet in Louisville to consider the removal of the dairy stock confined in the Chicago stock yards. The cattle, which are valued at \$75,000, were quarantined in the stock yards when the foot and mouth disease broke out and it has been impossible to return them to this state.

Study Forestry in Kentucky. The senior class of the Pennsylvania State College of Forestry, Breckinridge county, has returned to the college for commencement. C. N. Anderson, who was in charge of the camp, called on State Forester J. E. Barton here, and said the class of 1916 will camp at the same place, studying the trees of the Southern Appalachians and making plans for the care of timber in a tract in the vicinity of Quicksand.

State Road No. 4. State aid road No. 4 will constitute one of the newest engineering feats in the state. It is from Middleboro to Wasoto bridge, a short distance from Pineville, constituting part of the Boone Way. It is heavy construction work. T. B. Smith, engineer in charge of the state aid work in Greenup county, has submitted his profile to State Commissioner of Roads R. C. Terrell, and has the Boyd county plans well under way.

Motion Overruled. Motion of the contestants of the local option election, by which Scott county voted "dry" last September, for a rehearing was overruled by the court of appeals and they sued out a writ of error to the United States supreme court. This prevents the mandate being issued by the court of appeals, that should have closed the saloons in Georgetown. The contest suit was filed on the ground that the county judge had denied the city of Georgetown its constitutional rights by refusing a separate vote on the question.

UNITED STATES MAY INTERVENE

FORCE MAY BE USED BY PRESIDENT WILSON TO AID THE FAMINE VICTIMS.

INTERVENTION SAID TO BE CERTAIN

Unless Food Gets To the Hungry Mexicans.

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Washington.—President Wilson will intervene in Mexico unless there is a quick change in the present intolerable condition that exists in that country. Unless the warring factions in Mexico allow the prompt distribution of foodstuffs to the starving women and children in that country, President Wilson will send the armed forces of the United States to see that it is done. A statement to this effect will be issued by the president within the next two or three days. This was the construction placed here on a brief announcement made by the president shortly after he had affixed his signature to an appeal for contributions of foodstuffs from the American people to relieve the famine conditions now prevailing in Mexico.

Mineral Wells, Texas.—Word was received by W. M. Byrd, an American, of the execution of his son, W. M. Byrd, Jr., 30 years old, near Tampico, by Mexican soldiers. The information was contained in a delayed letter and it is presumed the execution took place a month ago. Whether Carranza or Villa officers killed Byrd is not known.

FIRED AT SWEDISH BARK.

Stavanger, Norway.—Survivors of the crew of the Swedish bark M. Roosvall were landed here by a Dutch fishing vessel. The men report that while off Malmoe a German submarine stopped the Roosvall and examined her papers and then permitted her to proceed. Later a violent explosion occurred, which killed two men on board the bark. The crew are of the belief that the explosion was caused by a torpedo fired by a submarine. The Roosvall was timber laden and bound for Sunderland, England.

U. S. CRUISER IS AGROUND.

Washington.—The United States cruiser North Carolina is aground within the outer harbor of Alexandria, Egypt, according to a report sent to the Navy Department by her commander, Captain Joseph W. Omsen, who says the ship is undamaged and that dredging operations will be undertaken to release her.

CINCINNATI MARKETS

Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.42@1.44, No. 3 red \$1.51@1.42, No. 4 red \$1.38@1.40.

Corn—No. 1 white 78c, No. 2 white 78½@79c, No. 1 yellow 78c, No. 2 yellow 77½@78c, No. 1 mixed 78c, No. 2 mixed 77½@78c, white ear 76@78c, yellow ear 77@78c, mixed ear 77@78c.

Oats—No. 2 white 53½@54c, standard 53½@54½c, No. 3 white 53c, No. 4 white 51½@51½c, No. 2 mixed 51½@52c, No. 3 mixed 51c, No. 4 mixed 50@51c.

Hay—No. 1 timothy \$19.50, No. 2 timothy \$18.50, No. 3 timothy \$17.50, No. 1 clover mixed \$18.50, No. 2 clover mixed \$17.50, No. 1 clover \$17, No. 2 clover \$16.

Mill Feed—Bran \$22.50@24, mixed feed \$25.50@26, middlings, coarse \$25, middlings, fine \$28.50@29.

Butter—Whole milk creamery extras 32c, centralized creamery extras 29½c, firsts 26c, seconds 23c, dairy fancy 26c, No. 1 packing stock 19c, No. 2 17c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 16c, firsts 14½c, ordinary firsts 13½c, seconds 12½c.

Poultry—Broilers, 1½ lb and over, 30@32c; 1¼ lb and over, 25@28c; 1 lb to 1¼ lb 22@25c; fowls, over 3½ lbs, 14½c; 3½ lbs and under, 14c; roosters, 8½c; ducks, white, 4 lbs and over, 12c; ducks, white, over 3 lbs, 11c; ducks, white, under 3 lbs, 10c; colored, 10c; hen turkeys, 13c; young tom turkeys, 10 lbs and over, 13c.

Cattle—Shippers \$6.75@8.25, extra \$8.25@8.50, butcher steers, extra \$8.25@8.50, good to choice \$7@8.25, common to fair \$5.25@6.75; heifers, extra \$8.50@8.75, good to choice \$7.75@8.25, common to fair \$5.70@7.65; cows, extra \$6.40@6.60, good to choice \$5.75@7.65, common to fair \$3.75@5.50; canners \$3.25.

Bulls—Bologna \$5.75@6.50, fat bulls \$6.25@7.

Calves—Extra \$8.25@8.50, fair to good \$6.50@8, common and large \$5@8.

Hogs—Selected heavy shippers \$7.80@7.85, good to choice packers and butchers \$7.80@7.85, mixed packers \$7.70@7.80, stags \$4.50@5.50, common to choice heavy fat sows \$5.25@6.90, light shippers \$7.35@7.80, pigs (120 lbs and less) \$5.50@7.35.

Sheep—Extra light \$5@5.75, heavy \$4.75@5.25, good to choice \$4.75@5.50, common to fair \$4@4.75.

Spring Lambs—Extra \$11.50, good to choice \$11@11.25, common to fair \$8@10.50.

Now is the Time to Pay.

"We read the other day," says a Missouri editor, "where a fellow was shot and his life was saved by the bullet striking a silver dollar. Now, should we happen to get shot before you pay up your subscription and there is no dollar in our pocket to stop the ball, we shall always presume that you might have saved our life."

Base Ball.

The West Liberty ball team went to Morehead for a series of three games. The game Saturday resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of Morehead. Sunday's game stood 4 to 1 in favor of Morehead. After winning two straight games the Morehead boys refused to play the third.

W. H. Vance, of Lamar, was a business caller at the Courier office while in town Wednesday.

T. H. Johnston, of Forest, called in to see the Courier crew while in town yesterday.

Mrs. Minnie L. Lacy and Dewey Swango are at White Oak this week.

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KNOW THY COUNTRY

I—Introductory

"Know America" is a slogan that should ring out from every school room, office, farm and shop in this nation. No man can aspire to a higher honor than to become a capable citizen, and no one can merit so distinguished a title until he is well informed of the resources, possibilities and achievements of our country.

This is a commercial age and civilization is bearing its most golden fruit in America. We are noted for our industrial achievements as Egypt was noted for her pyramids; Jerusalem for her religion; Greece for her art; Phoenicia for her fleets; Chaldea for her astronomy and Rome for her laws. Likewise we have men who will go down in the world's history as powerful products of their age. For, standing at the source of every gigantic movement that awakes civilization is a great man. The greatest minds travel in the greatest direction and the commercial geniuses of this age would have been the sculptors, poets, philosophers, architects, and artists of earlier civilizations.

As Michael Angelo took a rock and with a chisel hewed it into the image of an angel that ever beckons mankind upward and onward, Hill took the desert of the Northwest and with bands of steel made it blossom like a rose, dotted the valleys with happy homes and built cities in waste places.

As Gutenberg took blocks of wood and whittled them into an alphabet and made a printing press that flashed education across the continent like a ray of light upon a new born world, McCormick took

a bar of iron and bent it into a reaper and with one sweep of his magic mind broke the shackles that enslaved labor of generations yet unborn, and gave mankind freedom from drudgery, and lifted the human race into a higher zone of life.

As Nelson organized the English navy and made England mistress of the sea, enabling the British Isles to plant her flag upon every continent washed by the ocean's waves, and to make footstools of the Islands of every water. Morgan organized a banking system that has made America master of the world's finances, brought Kings to our cashiers' windows, the nations of the earth to our discount desks and placed under the industries of this nation a financial system as solid as the Rock of Gibraltar.

There is no study quite so interesting as progress; no sound so magic as the roar of industry and no sight so inspiring as civilization in action. A full realization of America's part in the great events of the world past, present and future will thrill every human heart with pride, patriotism and faith in Republican institutions.

Through the courtesy of the Agricultural and Commercial Press Service, the readers of this paper will be permitted to study America; her agricultural, manufacturing and mineral development, mercantile, banking and transportation systems which are the wonder of the world.

The first article of the series will deal with transportation and will appear at an early date.

SOME COMPLIMENT.

It is not often an editor hands himself a compliment. But this is an exception, and that is just what we are doing, because a certain well known citizen of this community has and is persistently recognizing the value of this paper as a reliable disseminator of local news, and has paid us this compliment in a manner which speaks volumes for his knowledge of the good things of life.

He is not destitute of this world's goods, but he possesses the rare faculty of holding onto that which he gets, lest the pangs of poverty overtake him in his declining years.

He possesses a wide knowledge of local affairs, because he is a constant reader of this paper, and the knowledge extracted therefrom is turned to good account in his own behalf.

If an important event is soon to occur, he knows of it in advance, because he has read of it in this paper.

If there is a bargain to be had anywhere in the community he is promptly apprised of the fact, because of that, too, he has read in this paper.

And if an acquaintance is sick, or death has overtaken some member of a family, or the stork has paid a visit to the home of some friend, he is among the first to extend his condolences or congratulations—because of these, also, he has read the paper.

He is a man of wisdom—a pillar of strength—with a brain which absorbs to the utmost of the essence of life. Few things escape his notice, for he is ever on the alert.

But the one thing which he never overlooks is this paper, and therein lies the compliment which we take to ourselves. It gives us a feeling that we are something more than a mere worm in human shape, that we may be even a whole cog in the community wheel.

True, he is not a subscriber to the paper—his dollar never reaches this office—but he reads the paper just the same.

For his neighbor is a subscriber and pays in advance, and in his generosity he lends the paper to the "pillar of strength"—by request.

But it may not always be so. In time we have hopes that the "pillar" will pay us the super-compliment of permitting us to add his own name to our subscription list—paid in advance, of course.

Time sometimes works wonders, even in the newspaper field.

And we have hopes, strong hopes.

COURT OF APPEALS TAKES THE BRIDLE OFF.

It looks as if the vote seller in Kentucky has been given a license to do as he dam pleases. The decision of the Court of Appeals in the Pike county cases pulls the bridle off. The boddlers can now get busy. The August primary is drawing near and it will be no uncommon sight in some parts of the State to see the cattle bunched up in blocks of five or ten and sold to the highest bidder.

It's a pity the vote sellers don't get the foot and mouth disease and all have to be killed.

The country would be infinitely better off without them, and in the sight of God it would be no harm to kill a man(?) who will deliberately barter his suffrage

The lion and the lamb have lain down together. The

spectacle of Senator Beckham and Judge O'Rear stumping the State together for State-wide prohibition comes as near making the above statement literally true as we have ever witnessed. The attitude of one of the speakers bears the ear marks of insincerity and there are those who question the motives of both.

However, it is a very good way to settle old scores.

The Germans have torpedoed and badly damaged a ship flying the flag of the United States, which was on its way to this country, bearing neither passengers nor cargo. They will eventually arouse the slumbering lion at Washington, and then—look out!

Some Kentucky papers, in a serio-comic way, continue to hammer Secretary Bryan by referring to his former Chautauqua lectures. But what careth Bryan for their vindictiveness? Haven't you heard something about the effect of water on a duck's back?

When the scales fall from the eyes of the German people and they realize to what extent, in their country, the tail is wagging the dog, the old bone-headed Kaiser is liable to have trouble within as well as without.

SCISSORS and PASTE

With an Occasional Cursory Comment by the Editor.

Raise Buckwheat.

For three reasons every farmer in this section should raise buckwheat. First, it is a nutritious grain, none better for hogs or poultry or in fact, when ground and mixed with corn, can not be surpassed for horses and cattle. Second, it makes excellent bee pasture and comes at a time when wild flowers and clovers have been exhausted. Third, it will yield more per acre than flour wheat and will actually improve the land. From the middle to the last of June is a splendid time to sow it if you want a good yield of grain, but it can be sown earlier or later and get good results.—Columbia News.

Live Stock a Good Asset.

The man that raises live stock is seldom refused credit at the bank and the stores. But as a rule such men have balances at the bank and pay cash at the stores, thus getting the benefit of cash trading. Live stock raising on the farm reduces the element of risk considerably and places farming on a business basis. The cropper must take his chances with the seasons, insects, speculators and poor markets, but the man with live stock can hold till prices suit him.—Mayfield Messenger.

The Real "Good Fellow."

The real "good fellow" is the fellow who knows something good about everybody and tells it. He never knocks on his neighbor or digs up the past. He always lends a helping hand to the fellow who is up against it and gives him a chance to make good. He never forgets to do and say the little things that make his wife happy. His children find him a jolly chum and an ever-ready playmate. His home is a haven of love, happiness and contentment. The real "good fellow" is the world's greatest asset.—Bert Morehouse in Ginger.

Diversification Pays.

McCracken County berries are being brought out for the first time in their true light. No finer specimens of strawberry culture ever went to a market than those which we have seen in the past two weeks, and the avidity with which the big buying centers are seizing upon them is material proof of the profit to be expected from them.

Lettuce and other garden truck is proving as valuable. There has been no let-down in the demand for it, here or abroad, and the increased production of garden stuff has been met by a correspondingly increased demand, upholding every argument of the diversification advocates and showing us the way out of our agricultural difficulties.—Paducah Sun.

Animals and Earthquakes.

That animals are sensitive to the approach of earthquakes is a fact frequently observed, and the more recent seismic troubles in various countries give numerous

examples of this singular faculty which many animals possess. For instance, in Japan, horses set up an unusual agitation whenever a seismic shock is near at hand. In Central America dogs and cats flee from houses and the inhabitants have become so accustomed to this that they follow the example of the animals and leave their dwellings, so as to escape danger. In Italy it has been observed that birds left their nests and flew up to a great height in the air, but this without noise, before the earthquake took place. However, from the beginning of the shocks to the last the birds uttered their cries continuously. It is asserted that in Sicily cocks crow and dogs howl just before an earthquake.—Catholic Sentinel.

No Right to Whip Horses.

No man, because he owns a horse, which he has purchased with his money, has any more right to whip or beat the animal and urge him to excessive speed or labor than I have to stand over that same man with whip in hand, if I have purchased his day's labor with my money, and make unreasonable demands upon his physical capacity.—D. C. H. in Breeder's Gazette, Chicago.

"Run upstairs, Tommy, and bring baby's nightgown," said Tommy's mother. "Don't want to," said Tommy. "Oh, Tommy, if you are not kind to your new little sister she'll put on her wings and fly back to heaven."

"Well, let her put on her wings and fly upstairs for her nightgown."—Sacred Heart Review.

Odd Bits of News.

Gulfport, Miss.—John Keating, of this place, died the other day and his obituary was published. A barber was called in to shave the corpse. As the razor passed over the man's cheek his eyes opened, his lips parted and he said "Don't cut me, kid." The barber dived through the window and is somewhere in Oklahoma by this time. Keating is alive and well.

Dublin, Tex.—W. M. Stewart, formerly a brakeman, in a nightmare, dreamed that he was on a freight train and that, going under a bridge, a beam struck him on the head, fracturing his skull. The next morning it was found that his hair had changed from a jet black to a fiery red. Physicians say that it will be white in a few months.

Grinnell, Ia.—W. C. Robinson, an amateur aviator, was tuning up his monoplane in a field near Dr. Somers office when the doctor received a telephone call to attend a man terribly injured in a runaway 11 miles southeast of town. Robinson volunteered to take the doctor to the scene in his monoplane. Somers accepted and the 11 miles were covered in six minutes, or at the rate of 110 miles an hour.

New York, N. Y.—It is not generally known that Iceland is one of the few countries in which there is nation-wide prohibition. And from Iceland comes a story similar to those always heard from dry territory. Mr. Gier Thorsteinsson, of Reykjavik, now at the Astor Hotel, here, says that the population is using al-

cohol, which they manufacture themselves, in home made distilleries. There is no way to stop this.

Trenton, N. J.—Chas. Katzea lost his voice as the result of an accident several years ago. Last week a fellow patient in a hospital told a funny story. Katzea laughed long and loud. That night in a dream he repeated part of the story aloud. Next morning it was found that his power of speech was restored.

Edwardsville, Ill.—Something strange has happened to a poplar tree on the premises of Town Clerk Peter Dresch. The tree gives forth a strange, powerful and sweet perfume. No one has been able to explain the phenomenon.

Kokomo, Ind.—Run down and dragged by a taxicab Jane Gardner, 2, was found unhurt and cooing when her father crawled under the taxi to rescue the babe.

CANDIDATES' ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. D. ARNETT as a candidate for the nomination for Secretary of State, subject to the action of the democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. D. O'NEAL, of Lawrence county, as a candidate for the nomination for Judge of the 32nd Judicial District, subject to the action of the democratic primary, August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce M. M. REDWINE as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the 32nd Judicial District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held on the first Saturday in August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. WAUGH, of Carter county, as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic party.

We are authorized to announce G. W. CASTLE, of Lawrence county, as a candidate for the nomination for Commonwealth's Attorney for the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic party.

We are authorized to announce H. C. SULLIVAN, of Louisa, Ky., as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney of the 32nd Judicial district, subject to the action of the democratic party. He was solicited by his party, and the first announced candidate for this office in the Big Sandy News in this district, and the first and only candidate for thirty years for this place from Lawrence county.

We are authorized to announce R. A. DAY, of Maytown, as a candidate for Representative from the 91st Legislative district, subject to the democratic primary, August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce A. C. OLIVER, of Wolfe county, as candidate for the democratic nomination for Representative of the 91st Legislative district, subject to the primary August 1915.

We are authorized to announce J. C. B. BARKER of Wolfe county, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Representative from the 91st district, primary Aug. 1915.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE P. DYER of Wolfe county, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Representative from the 91st district, primary Aug. 1915.

We are authorized to announce D. BOONE TYRA, of Wolfe county, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Representative from the 91st Legislative district, primary August 7, 1915.

We are authorized to announce J. M. MAXEY, of Yocum, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk of Morgan county, primary August, 1915.

We are authorized to announce J. T. (Topsy) FERGUSON as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk of Morgan county, primary August 1915.

We are authorized to announce J. D. LYKINS, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk of Morgan county, primary August 1915.

We are authorized to announce CORTIS K. STACY, of Stacy Fork, as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk subject to the action of the August, 1915, primary.

We are authorized to announce BEN F. KENNARD, of Logville, as a candidate for the nomination for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the democratic party in the August, 1915, primary.

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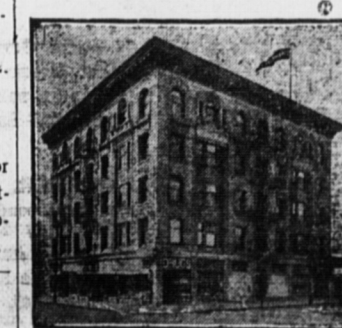
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Don't be the man who put sit in city.

Building good houses builds a good town.

Save a little money and save a lot of worry.

Good roads lead not only to town, but to money.

Be a live one and the town will never be a dead one.

A nice front porch has prevented many an old maid.

Why should the town muzzle dogs and not muzzle knackers?

When someone plans to help the town, plan to help the plan.

The best plans a man can have to the future are house plans.

A good way to make the world better is to begin on the home town.

A good town will do more to keep the boys at home than good advice.

A town is like a perambulator; it isn't much good unless it is pushed.

Be like a ball player. The thing he is always working for is home.

If you think a cow can't laugh for joy, let somebody sell you a good silo.

A town is like a girl. It's wonderful what a little fixing up will do for her.

Don't spend all your time telling what you could do if you had some time.

It improves the soup to throw a little pepper in it. Same way with a town.

If you spend all the money you earn, some other fellow is banking your money.

Let's not be trying to stop something all the time. Let's start something.

Don't look for soft snaps, the hard snaps are the ones that have the ginger in them.

Don't be a grouch. Everybody in this town wishes you well, even the doctors.

If you would like to have somebody working for you, put a little money in the bank.

The world owes every man a living, but the street corner is a poor collection agency.

Opportunity knocks once at every man's door; better be at home when the lady calls.

Many a young man goes away to seek his fortune when Fortune is seeking for him at home.

Plaster your house and everybody will follow your example. Lath and the world laths with you.

You've got to be a citizen in order to vote; but you've got to do a good deal more than vote to be a citizen.

If you will consider the men of this town who are well off you will find that most of them made their money here.

The big things are not all done in the big towns. The greatest poem in the English language was written in a country churchyard.

There is only one better man than the man who gets behind and pushes, in an effort to improve the town, and that's the man who goes ahead and pulls.

Fire-Blight.

Fire-Blight is undoubtedly the most serious disease that confronts the Kentucky fruit grower to-day. San Jose Scale is no longer dangerous when trees are properly sprayed. The aphid is easily controlled as are all the other greatly feared troubles of the past. After all the other orchard troubles have been successfully met and conquered, it is very discouraging to see a promising crop of fruit ruined in a short time. In fact blight has been termed the Great Black Plague of the fruit industry. It has been estimated that it carries an annual loss of \$25,000,000 to the country.

Blight is a preventable disease, and in view of the tremendous losses occasioned by it, a systematic effort should be made to check it.

Pears and apples are more subject to attack than are any of the other fruits. In fact the writer would not urge the planting of commercial pear orchards in Kentucky for the time being, until more definite means of control have been worked out. Certain varieties of apples are more susceptible than others and it is well to consider this

point in making an extensive planting.

Blight is caused by a minute germ or organism that lives during the dormant season. These cankers are formed at the base of the fruit spurs, on the branches and in extreme cases on the larger limbs and trunk of the tree. Every fruit grower should acquaint himself with the appearance of the canker and destroy it as soon as noticed. If every canker could be disposed of, blight could be held in control.

Blight usually appears shortly after the blossoming period and is first noticed when the blossoms and tips begin to wilt and blacken. Often the tips of the branches only are affected. In other instances it may extend down the twig or branch, killing it as it progresses. The twigs and leaves appear as if they had been scorched by fire, hence the term fire-blight.

It is almost impossible to cut out all the diseased twigs on a badly blighted tree during the growing season. Fire-blight is a problem involving the community, hence, an organized endeavor should be made to check it. Learn to recognize the disease in its various stages, clean up the orchard and encourage your neighbor to do the same thing.

Do not be misled regarding the so-called "blight cures." There is no patent cure and no one should ever attempt to cure blight by spraying, inoculation, or soil doctoring. Insects, particularly aphids and ants, spread blight. Use the sprays against these if necessary.

J. H. CARMODY,
Extension Horticulturist.

Lexington, Ky.
May 21, 1915.

To The Editor:

Will you please publish the following for the benefit of the poultry raisers in your county:

As a representative of the Poultry Investigational Division of the United States Department of Agriculture, I travel over miles and miles of territory in this state, and from the car windows I see many new poultry houses just completed or in the course of construction. A great majority of these are totally unfit for the housing of poultry.

There is little excuse for this state of affairs as the Poultry Department at Washington, and that department of your State Agricultural College, are prepared to furnish information regarding the construction of simple, practical and up to date poultry houses.

If there is any farmer in this county who is thinking of building a new poultry house or remodeling an old one and desires such information, write to me in care of the Agricultural Experiment Station, Lexington, Kentucky.

Yours very truly,
H. W. RICKEY.

State Director Poultry Club Work.

Mysterious Chimney-Swift.

Much has been learned about bird migration but much yet remains to be learned, and the following is one of the most curious and interesting of the unsolved problems. The chimney-swift is one of the most abundant and best-known birds of eastern United States. With troops of fledglings catching their winged prey as they go, and lodging by night in tall chimneys, the flocks drift slowly south joining with other bands, until on the northern coast of the Gulf of Mexico they become an innumerable host. Then they disappear. Did they drop in the water or hibernate in the mud, as was believed of old, their obliteration could not be more complete. In the last week in March a joyful twittering far overhead announces their return to the Gulf coast, but their hiding place during the intervening five months is still the swift's secret.

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WHY IS WOMAN RESTLESS?

DESTINY OF NATIONS DEPENDS UPON CONTENTED HOMES.

By W. D. Lewis.

President Texas Farmers' Union. Why is woman dissatisfied? Why does she grow restless under the crown of womanhood? Why is she weary of the God-given jewel of motherhood? Is it not a sufficient political achievement for woman that future rulers nurse at her breast, laugh in her arms and kneel at her feet? Can ambition leap to more glorious heights than to sing lullabies to the world's greatest geniuses, chant melodies to master minds and rock the cradle of human destiny?

God pity our country when the handshake of the politician is more gratifying to woman's heart than the patter of children's feet.

Woman is Ruler Over All.

Why does woman chafe under restraint of sex? Why revile the hand of nature? Why discard the skirts that civilization has clung to since the beginning of time? Why lay aside this hallowed garment that has wiped the tears of sorrow from the face of childhood? In its sacred embrace every generation has hidden its face in shame; clinging to its motherly folds, tottering children have learned to play hide and seek and from it youth learned to reverence and respect womanhood. Can man think of his mother without this consecrated garment?

Why this inordinate thirst for power? Is not woman all powerful? Man cannot enter this world without her consent, he cannot remain in peace without her blessing and unless she sheds tears of regret over her departure, he has lived in vain. Why this longing for civil power when God has made her ruler over all? Why crave authority when man bows down and worships her? Man has given woman his heart, his name and his money. What more does she want? Can man find it in his heart to look with pride upon the statement that his honorable mother-in-law was one of the most powerful political bosses in the country, that his distinguished grandmother was one of the ablest filibusters in the Senate or that his mother was a noted warrior and her name a terror to the enemy? Whither are we drifting and where will we land?

God Save Us From a Hen-Pecked Nation.

I follow the plow for a living and my views may live in them the smell of the soil; my man has turned white under the frost of many winters and perhaps I am a little old-fashioned, but I believe there is more moral influence in the dress of woman than in all the statute books of the land. As an agency for morality, I wouldn't give my good old mother's home-made gowns for all the suffragette's constitutions and by-laws in the world. As a power for purifying society, I wouldn't give one prayer of my saintly mother for all the women's votes in Christendom. As an agency for good government, I wouldn't give the plea of a mother's heart for righteousness for all the oaths of office in the land. There is more power in the smile of woman than in an act of congress. There are greater possibilities for good government in her family of laughing children than in the cabinet of the president of the United States.

The destiny of this nation lies in the home and not in the legislative halls. The hearthstone and the family Bible will ever remain the source of our inspiration and the Acts of the Apostles will ever shine brighter than the acts of Congress.

This country is law-mad. Why add to a statute book, already groaning under its own weight, the hysterical cry of woman? If we never had a chance to vote again in a lifetime and did not pass another law in twenty-five years, we could survive the ordeal, but without home, civilization would wither and die.

God save these United States from becoming a hen-pecked nation; help us keep sissies out of Congress and forbid that women become step-fathers to government, the prayer of the farmers of this country.

CATHOLIC BISHOP EXPIRES. Buffalo, N. Y.—Bishop Charles Henry Colton, of the Roman Catholic Church, is dead. Charles Henry Colton was born in New York in October, 1848, and ordained in that city June 10, 1876. Virtually all of his service until 1903 was in St. Stephen's parish, New York City. He was consecrated Bishop of Buffalo on August 25, 1903, succeeding Bishop Quigley, who had been raised to the Archbishopric of Chicago. He is survived by one sister, Miss Josephine Colton.

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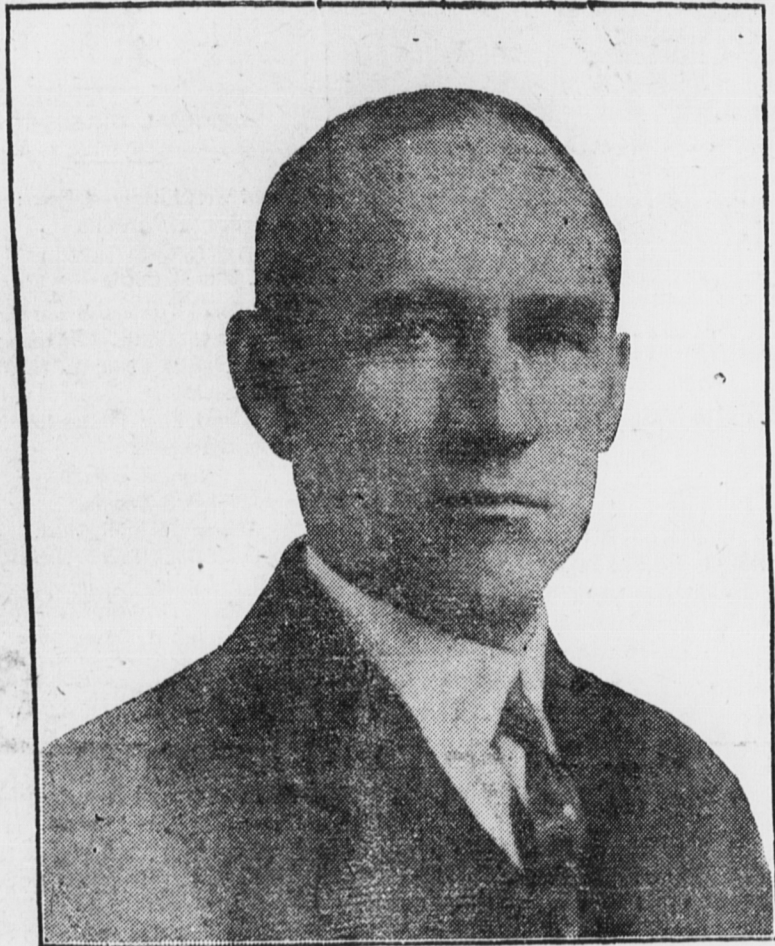
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Look to Your Firesides!

Lenox, Ky. May 29, 1915.

Editor Courier:

The good citizens of Morgan and adjoining counties should support you to a man in exposing these wild cat schemes which have for a half a century kept back development in this, which is known to be the richest part of Kentucky. It is high time that the light was turned on, as it is becoming plainer each day that we have already waited too long. It has been shown that the owners of these titles will attempt to take possession of any holdings that are made valuable by the efforts of our people.

Who is the Continental Coal, Land & Timber Company that has purchased so much wild cat stuff in Morgan, Elliott, Rowan, Wolfe and Magoffin counties? Is this the same company that did so much investigating a year or so ago, and told the citizens they were surveying and opening up their coal banks to show and induce capital to build railroads, buy our coal and timber and other mineral rights, and representing that they had behind them men that did big things—such men as the Vice-President of one of the big steel companies, etc? These dealings should be brought to the attention of these men, as it is inconceivable that men of such prominence would knowingly do these things when it is shown to them that they have absolutely nothing in these enormous wild cat titles that they were buying, and that they are only working a hardship on our citizens. To defend, in many cases, the titles to their homes in a court would cost as much or more than their little home is worth.

Now since these lands have been conveyed to the Continental

Coal, Land & Timber Co., the record's in the Clerk's office show a cloud on most of the titles in the entire Morgan county, and many citizens are being deprived of a cash rental on their farms which they have been receiving for years. We have seen in Morgan county one of the biggest oil fields in the State, when all the different companies were working night and day producing oil which was helping our county and people to a more prosperous and happy condition, blasted, blighted and ruined by a suit brought on one of these old titles.

Don't you think it would be a good thing to show these people, in a nice way, that they have nothing in these old claims, and if this company or any other company is taking this method to get hold of our resources without compensating the real owners they will be the cause of much trouble and suffering? Will they take the responsibility?

SUBSCRIBER.

Mr. Subscriber, your remarks are timely and good. The Courier has been and is still doing all in its power to ascertain who is responsible for those wild cat deals. We are glad you and others are becoming interested in this matter. The people as a whole have never realized the gravity of the situation that confronts them. Morgan county people have already lost hundreds of thousands of dollars because of those old land claims and it looks as though the damnable work has just started. If the people don't wake up and work together a great many of them will ere long be seeking homes in other counties or states.—Editor.

Ethel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hovemale, who has been very sick, is better.

Decision Expected.

Judge A. N. Cisco, one of the attorneys for defendants, was in Frankfort last week and while there dropped into the office of the Clerk of the Federal Court and made some inquiry concerning the papers in the case of the Sewell heirs vs. Collier, Conley and others, which has been on submission for nearly a year. He was informed by the Clerk that the record in the case was only forwarded to Judge A. M. J. Chochran at Maysville on the 4th day of May, 1915; that the papers were held in the office at the behest of O'Rear & Williams, attorneys for the plaintiffs, upon some pretense or other best known to themselves.

A decision in the case is expected within a few weeks, and in the mean time the people are anxiously awaiting the result.

Objects to Life-Tenure in Office.

Caney, Ky., June 1, 1915.
Editor Cottle:

"I didn't raise my boy to be a life-long voter for John Waugh."

While "Citizen," of Ezel, and "A Young Democrat," of Jephtha, each give excellent reasons why the democrats of those localities are against Waugh for Commonwealth's Attorney, there is still a more potent reason why we democrats of this section are against him, namely: Twelve years in an office and receiving approximately forty-eight thousand dollars in emoluments therefor is enough for one man. We must adhere to the democratic idea of rotation in office or cease to educate our boys. To continue Waugh in this office for another six years would be setting a precedent that destroys the ambition of every young man of the district. Are we just rearing our boys to be life long voters for a few pie grabbers, or are we to show them that rotation in office broadens their opportunities?

Practically all of the democrats in this part of the county are freely expressing themselves for G. W. Castle. They feel that by nominating and electing him they accomplish three things, viz: Secure a prosecutor who will do his duty fully and fearlessly in all cases; establish the democratic doctrine of rotation in office in district, and rebuke an office-hungry politician.

A FATHER.

Sandy Hook vs. Paintsville.

Sandy Hook and Paintsville crossed bats on the former's diamond May 29 and 30. On account of a wet day the first game was not closely contested, the score being 11 to 4 in favor of Sandy Hook. The batteries for the first game were Whit and Lyon for Sandy Hook and Wells and Castle and Wheatly for Paintsville.

The second game was very interesting from beginning to end, the score being 1 to 0 in favor of Sandy Hook. It was a pitcher's battle, only three hits being allowed on both sides, one off of Castle for Paintsville and two off Greene for Sandy Hook. Sandy Hook made their run in the sixth inning with two men down; Evans flied to center and reached second on an error by Preston; on the first ball across he stole third and Greene followed with a grounder to short who muffed the ball, allowing Evans to cross the plate with the winning run.

The doubles of Whitt to Ferguson to Hunter; Ferguson to Whitt to Hunter, and Greene to Hunter to Lyon saved the day for Sandy Hook.

The umpires for both games were Redwine and Holbrook. Send your challenges to Sandy Hook.

SANDY HOOK BALL CLUB.

W. M. Kendall at Bradentown.

Hon. W. M. Kendall, of West Liberty, Ky., arrived in the city yesterday and for the present, at least, is located at the Hotel Parque, on Pine street.

Mr. Kendall is a man well advanced in years, not alone as regards dallying with Father Time, but has led an active, strenuous life. He was a member of the state legislature during those troublous times, an incident of which was the assassination of the state's Chief Executive. Mr. Kendall's health is not as robust

as he desired so after journeying over a great part of the U. S. has finally decided to settle down Bradedtown for a comfortable summer.—Bradentown (Florida) Herald.

The Herald is in error in regard to the time that Mr. Kendall was in the legislature. Mr. Kendall's term antedated the assassination of Governor Goebel many years.

Notice Of Election Of Democratic Precinct Committeeman, River Precinct No. 8.

Pursuant to a call by J. D. Whitaker, Chairman of the Democratic Committee of Morgan County, Ky., it is hereby ordered that an election be held in River Precinct, No. 8 at the regular voting place in said precinct, at 2:00 P. M. on the 19th day of June, 1915, to elect a Democratic Precinct Committeeman to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation A. J. Hammons.

This the 31st day of May, 1915.
J. D. WHITAKER, Chmn.
By C. D. ARNETT, Sec.

Morgan Boy Leads.

Woodford Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Howard, of White Oak, student of the Millersburg Military Institute, graduated last month with first honors. This is very gratifying to Woodford's many friends who predict for him a brilliant future.

O'Rear Fogg, another former Morgan county boy, also graduated from the K. M. I. this year. Mr. and Mrs. Howard attended the graduation exercises.

When Embarrassed.

A successful singing teacher gives this remedy for embarrassment: A deep breath inhaled and exhaled slowly with the help of the diaphragm muscle. Try it the next time you feel nervous, whether it is the thought of meeting someone or a burden of the small details of housekeeping that causes your nervousness or embarrassment.—Exchange.

Drowned in Beaver.

Manford, 16 year old son of Harlan Elam, formerly a resident of this county but who now lives in Menifee, was drowned in Beaver Creek near Frenchburg while seining Saturday the 29 ult.

The remains were brought back to South Fork graveyard, near Malone, and buried Monday.

Rents Pike Hotel.

Nathan C. Day, formerly of this county has rented the Pike hotel at Pikeville and assumed charge.

The Pike is the largest hostelry in the Sandy valley.

Nathan and Mrs. Day are ideal hotel people and we predict success for them in their new venture.

Committed Suicide.

Obb Ellington, of Fleming county, committed suicide by shooting himself, Friday May 28. Mr. Ellington was the son of Taylor Ellington, who formerly lived in this county, and has many relatives here.

James Lewis, of Yocum, who is a relative of Mr. Ellington, was visiting the family at the time of Mr. Ellington's death.

Capitist Here.

Messrs. — Yandell, President of the O. & K. R. R. Co., M. L. Conley, Supt. of the Kentucky Block Cannel Coal Co., and Dr. S. R. Collier spent two or three days looking over the Elk Fork coal field last week.

Dana, Iowa.

May 27, 1915.

Mr. H. G. Cottle.

West Liberty, Ky.

Dear Sir:—Enclosed please find one dollar money order for which send me the Licking Valley Courier one year.

Respectfully yours,
ROBERT KENNARD.

Geo. P. Dyer, candidate for Representative from the Morgan Wolfe district, passed through town last week enroute to Elk Fork and Paint in the interest of his candidacy. George speaks in glowing terms of his prospects for the nomination, and says that he expects to make every day count from now till the votes are all cast on August 7th.

West Liberty, Ky., May 28, 1915.

Young democrat is asking that we elect officers that will enforce the law in the liquor traffic. That the people should do, but it is much more important to elect men that will stop the dealings in wild cat titles in the mountain counties.

There is nothing more serious than putting a cloud on the title of a man's home, and it becomes doubly so to the poor man that has not money to defend his home in the courts.

If every officer did his duty and is willing to serve the people who elect them the people will be saved much trouble.

Yours truly,

Local and Personal.

Byron Cisco, who has been attending the law department of State University, Lexington, came home Monday to spend vacation.

County Superintendent Jas. W. Davis and County Judge S. S. Dennis, are in Frankfort this week on business.

Joe and Clay Osborne, of De Hart, were in town on business Tuesday.

W. A. Duncan went to Grayson on business Saturday, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wheeler, of Morehead, are visiting relatives in the county this week.

Fred Burrows, of Farmers, was here the first of the week on business.

Winfred Cox, who is at work at Cannel City, visited home folk the first of the week.

Dr. H. V. Nickell is in Louisville on business this week.

Miss Floris Seitz, who taught at Morehead last winter has returned home.

Mrs. L. F. Metzger, and little son, Samuel, of Ronceverte, W. Va. are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. M. Gardner.

The three-hour-old girl baby of Mr. and Mrs. Will Steele died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. The interment took place today in the Salyer graveyard.

Miss Linda Adkins, who has been attending school at Midway, returned home last week.

Mrs. Addie Walsh, of Columbus, O., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Steele, and other relatives in town and county.

Newt Perry, of Lenox, was in town Saturday and while here called at the Courier office on business.

W. M. Burton, of Insko, was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Cottle and little son, Rodney, of Wrigley, visited her mother, Mrs. Watt Cox, of near town, Saturday night and Sunday.

Flem Kennard, of Logville, was here Monday on business.

T. B. Sturdivent came over from Campton Junction, where he is at work, Saturday for a few days visit with his family.

Kelse Henry, of Licking River, was in town on business Monday and while here ordered the Courier sent to his address for a year.

W. L. Barndollar, who has been at work at Farmers, came home Saturday.

Master Clarence McMann is very sick with malarial fever.

Willie Dunn, of Insko, was in the city on business last week.

P. B. and Jerry McQuinn, of Omer, were here on business Saturday.

Geo. Neff, of Pekin, transacted business in town Saturday.

Dr. C. C. Burton, of Licking River, was in town Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Oakley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McClure and family and Miss Martha Oakley are camping and fishing at Hampton's mill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gross and family, of Pomp, attended Decoration day services at the Elam graveyard Saturday.

Monroe Davis, of Cannel City, visited relatives in and near town last week and this.

Public Speaking



HON. A. O. STANLEY

Candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, will address the voters of Morgan county at the court house in West Liberty on **Monday, June 14, 1915** in the interest of his candidacy **Everybody Come**

Sheriff's Sale For Taxes.

By virtue of the taxes due the State of Kentucky and the County of Morgan for the year 1914, I, or one of my deputies, will, on

MONDAY, JUNE 14, 1915,

(it being the first day of a county court) at the hour of 1 o'clock, p. m., or thereabouts, at the front door of the court house in the town of West Liberty, offer for sale at public outcry, for cash in hand, the following real estate, to satisfy said unpaid taxes:

Name of Owner	Nearest resident	No. of acres	Valuation	Amount of Tax	Precinct & lot	Cost	Total
S F Carter	Wiley Steele	65	\$ 300	\$ 4.60	\$0.42	\$2.50	\$ 7.52
Dan Caskey	Frank Caskey	50	400	7.76	.70	2.50	10.96
E K Caskey	John Howerton	75	200	3.90	.36	2.50	6.76
Clay McClure	A J Howerton	40	100	2.70	.25	2.50	5.45
M W Steele	Kelly Johnston	75	400	6.20	.57	2.50	9.27
Richard Smith	Clarence Fairchild	50	200	4.90	.45	2.50	7.85
R T Brown	T P Wells	35	400	9.20	.83	2.50	12.53
C L Keeton	Steve Keeton	150	600	7.20	.65	2.50	10.35
A J Atkins	Curtis Lewis	50	250	3.00	.27	2.50	5.77
Robert Cox	J H Law	30	75	3.10	.31	2.50	5.91
Joe Day	Gar Blankenship	50	250	3.00	.27	2.50	5.77
S T Phillips							

L. A. LYKINS, Sheriff Morgan County.

Born to the wife of Lee Ferguson, of Greear, May, the 18, a girl—Irene Ruth. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Jas. and Edgar Benton, of Cannel City, were visiting in town last week.

Miss Ethel Bailey, of Dingus, visited her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Maxey, of near town, last week.

Frank Kennard, of Logville, was greeting old friends in town last week.

John Hovemale, who has been at work in Bourbon county for several months, came home Friday.

W. D. Archibald and family, who have been living at Cannel City for some time, have moved to the W. M. Kendall property on Broadway and Prestonsburg streets.

W. P. Henry, of Flat Woods, was here on business last week.

Children's Day will be next Sunday night June 6th in the new auditorium of Methodist church. Everybody come at 7 o'clock sharp as preaching will be at 8 o'clock.

Jno. T. Hindman, of Jackson, was in town yesterday. John, are you "deadenin' over the line?"

Worn Out?

No doubt you are, if you suffer from any of the numerous ailments to which all women are subject. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, weak, tired feeling, are some of the symptoms, and you must rid yourself of them in order to feel well. Thousands of women, who have been benefited by this remedy, urge you to

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